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## **AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated February 24, 2006, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: